

WENT DOWN AT SEA

Eighty-three Portuguese Fishermen Drowned.

FOUND DEEP, WATERY GRAVES

Forty of the Newfoundland Sealers Who Were Driven Out to Sea on Saturday Have Perished.

Grand Rapids, March 3.—The recent gales that have prevailed along the coast of Portugal have been productive of great loss of life, more particularly among the fishermen. Among those who lost their lives in the storm of a few days ago were eighty-three married men, in addition to a large number who were not married. The eighty-three widows have now thrown upon them the care and support of 233 children. They are miserably poor, and unless something is done to aid them they will all suffer severely.

Forty Perished.

Grand Rapids, N. S., March 3.—A dispatch from St. John's, N. F., gives details of the recent shocking disaster in Newfoundland by which at least forty lives were lost. Saturday last 230 men went out sealing in boats from Trinity bay. While they were on the lookout for seals the thermometer fell to zero and a terrible snowstorm came on. The sealers struggled hard for port, but were unable to cope with the wind, snow and an angry sea. They had no extra clothing and their small boats furnished no shelter. Some were blown far out to sea, while others were frozen upon the ice where they were taking the seals. Many died in their boats.

Rescued Only to Die.

Seventeen of the sealers were rescued by boats which put out from Trinity bay to their assistance. These were found exhausted and in a pitiable plight. Some of them died before they could be brought ashore.

Frozen in Their Boats.

Thirteen bodies were found frozen in their boats, which were covered with ice and had to be cut out. It is estimated that fully forty men have perished.

Most of those who were lost were fathers of families. There is great lamentation along the shores of Trinity bay. The legislature has adjourned as a mark of sympathy.

THE WINTER PACKING.

Results Show a Decrease in the Number of Hogs Killed and Fat Away.

CHICAGO, March 3.—The winter packing season closed on Monday, and definite or almost exact figures from 95 per cent of the entire work indicate a total of 7,750,000 hogs, against 8,175,000 last year, a decrease of about 425,000 hogs. Indications favor a moderate increase in average weight, possibly 3 to 5 per cent, and that the total manufacture of the product will closely approach last year's production. Cincinnati winter packing was 352,000 hogs, against 351,000 last year.

Given Another Chance.

BIRMINGHAM, Tenn., March 3.—Talton Hall, the noted murderer of so many men, who was found guilty of killing Policeman Hyman at Glendale, and was sentenced to hang on the 14th of this month, has been granted a new trial by Judge Richardson, of the supreme court. The next trial will begin in June. People in this section are indignant over the matter, as they all agree that he should hang.

FRENZEL IS BARRED OUT

Victory of the Indianapolis Strikers Complete—Case Then to United States.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 3.—The victory of the strike is complete. Receiver Steele is now in full control of the Citizens' Street Railway Company and all the old men are in their places. The cars are running as usual and the people of the city rejoice that they are no longer compelled to walk. Judge Taylor's action in taking the road out of the hands of the company has, for the present at least, restored order and prevented bloodshed. Wednesday the badges in dispute were returned to the men by Receiver Steele. President Frenzel's case for contempt of court was taken under advisement and a decision will be rendered Saturday. He threatens, if he ever gets hold of the property again, to upset all that Receiver Steele has done. The return of Frenzel to power would therefore be the signal for the renewal of the riotous scenes of last week.

WRECK ON THE B. & O.

Thirteen Persons Injured, Two Probably Fatally, Near Chambersburg, W. Va.

CHAMBERSBURG, W. Va., March 3.—The west-bound Baltimore & Ohio limited, known as the "Royal Blue," was wrecked at Goodwin's cut, near Chambersburg, this state, at 1 o'clock Wednesday morning. Thirteen people were injured, two probably fatally. An axle of the driving-wheel broke and fell under the train and threw the solid vestibuled train, except the sleeper, against a stone embankment. The mail, baggage and two passenger coaches were completely wrecked. The passengers in the day coaches were tossed every way, but all miraculously escaped death. As soon as possible the injured were picked up and cared for by the passengers. The two badly injured were taken to Gettysburg and left there.

FAVOR A CHANGE.

A Resolution to Be Submitted to Congress Meeting December 31, Instead of March 4, and Inauguration Day.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—The house committee on the election of president and vice president has authorized Mr. Crain (Tex.) to prepare for submission to the house a joint resolution proposing amendments to the constitution substituting the 31st day of December for the 4th day of March as the commencement and termination of the official term of members of the house of representatives and providing that congress shall hold its annual meeting on the second Monday in January and substituting the 30th of April for the 4th of March as the date for the commencement and limitation of the term of the president and vice president.

Burned in a Crisp.

CHICAGO, March 3.—Fifteen gallons of gasoline exploded in John McCulloch's dry house, No. 779 West Madison street, Wednesday

afternoon. William Scholdroff, an employe in the dry house, lost his life by being pinned to the floor by heavy timbers until his body was burned to a crisp. Those who were injured are Hannah Hagererty, of No. 625 Carroll avenue; A. E. Andrus, of No. 108 Arcadian avenue; and R. Hall, wife and child, of No. 607 Ohio street.

A SAD CASE.

A Kansas City Belle Dies of a Broken Heart.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 3.—A week ago Hon. G. Harrison Smith, one of the most prominent young lawyers in the west, died very suddenly of pneumonia. He was engaged to Miss Janie Harwood, a society favorite, who was a mourner at the funeral. As the coffin lid was closed the young lady fell in a swoon. She was taken home, where she grew rapidly worse, refusing food or stimulants. Her trouble was pronounced pneumonia and then diphtheria. But in spite of all that could be done she died Wednesday night. Her friends say she was broken-hearted. The wedding was to have taken place after Lent.

BIG FIRE IN DETROIT.

Over \$200,000 Worth of Property Destroyed—The Principal Losers.

DETROIT, Mich., March 3.—Fire broke out in the building occupied by the William Reed Glass Company and the Detroit Confectionery and Fruit Tablet Company on West Larned street Wednesday night at about 9 o'clock. The Reed Glass Company's building was completely destroyed. The loss on the stock is about \$130,000; insurance, \$110,000. The confectionery company estimates its loss at \$20,000, caused principally by water and smoke. The loss on the building, which belonged to David Whitney, Jr., is placed at \$50,000; insurance, \$35,000.

Iowa Legislature.

DES MOINES, Ia., March 3.—The house on Wednesday by a vote of 81 to 11 passed the senate resolution memorializing congress to submit an amendment to the constitution providing for the election of United States senators by the people.

In the senate Wednesday Senator Perry's bill relating to breaking into cars to steal a ride passed the senate. It is a stringent measure, which will in a measure suppress tramping. The bill to protect labor unions in the use of their labels passed; also to prevent the growth of Canada thistles.

A Domestic Tragedy.

VIENNA, March 3.—Anton Wimmer, a sausage maker, being separated from his wife and destitute of means of support, committed two murders and killed himself Wednesday. It appears that Anton attributed his domestic misfortune to his wife's sister, whom the wife was living with. Anton vainly solicited his wife to return to him. She refused. Anton thereupon drew a revolver and shot his wife fatally. Then Anton pursued the sister, who was trying to escape, and shot her. Then he turned the revolver against himself and committed suicide.

Filling a Vacancy.

CHICAGO, March 3.—Edward Drummond, clerk of Judge Blodgett's court, has been made temporary clerk of the United States circuit and district courts, made vacant by the death of William H. Bradley. Mr. Drummond is a half-brother of the late Judge Drummond and has been a court clerk in United States courts for over thirty years. He will occupy his new position until the vacancy is filled.

Well-Known Grain Dealer Dead.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 3.—A. J. Sawyer, the well-known elevator and grain man, died here of a complication of diseases. He was the owner of a large elevator line in North Dakota and Minnesota, with terminals at Superior and Minneapolis. He was in Washington last week opposing the anti-option bill, and it is thought that overwork while there hastened his death.

Sound Over.

VIRGO, Wis., March 3.—People came to the city from every direction Wednesday to hear the examination of J. M. Allen, the school-teacher who killed a pupil at Valley, Wis. last Wednesday with a poker, during an altercation in the school room. Young Allen is nearly distracted with grief. He has the sympathy of the community. Allen was bound over.

All Their Help Is Out.

CHICAGO, March 3.—The big boot and shoe factory of Selz, Schwab & Co., at Larrabee and Superior streets, is closed today. A bitter feeling prevails among the 700 strikers, who have just quit work, and they declare they will never resume their places in the factory until their demand for a 5 per cent advance has been complied with.

Victim of a Father's Vengeance.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 3.—Joseph Jackson shot and killed a young man named John Couch at the residence of Charles Hopping, near Thomasville, 33 miles south of this city. Jackson accused Couch of ruining his daughter and ordered him to marry the girl. Couch twice refused and Jackson shot him. He then gave himself up.

Remains of Riggs and Turnbull.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—The state department has formally asked permission from the Chilean authorities to allow the remains of Riggs and Turnbull to be disinterred and transported to America. It is believed that this request will be granted.

Favor Popular Election of Senators.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 3.—In the assembly the judiciary committee reported a concurrent resolution calling upon New York's representatives in congress to favor the bill providing for the election of United States senators by the people.

Post-Office Thief Arrested.

St. Louis, March 3.—John B. Curry, the notorious crackman who robbed the Mount City post office November 24, 1891, has been arrested here. Sixshooters were necessary to persuade him to surrender quietly.

Nine Men Killed.

BERLIN, March 3.—By a premature blast in a quarry at Aschen, Germany, a landslide was caused whereby a number of workmen were overwhelmed. Nine were killed outright or perished from suffocation.

New York's New Census.

New York, March 3.—Estimates based upon the new census place the population of this city at 1,000,000, while that of Brooklyn is 1,035,000.

IT STIRS THEM UP

Remarkable Religious Revival in Cincinnati.

THEY ALL WANT TO BE SAVED

It Is Conducted by Evangelist Mills. Business Men Close Their Stores to Attend Services.

CINCINNATI, March 3.—It was a difficult matter to transact an ordinary week-day's business in Cincinnati Wednesday. B. F. Mills, the evangelist, and his singing companion, Rev. Mr. Greenwood, were responsible for it. These two young divines have been in Cincinnati several weeks and have awakened a religious interest such as the city has never experienced before. The meetings, which began in the suburbs, are now held at the great music hall.

Business Suspended.

In all about 7,000 conversions have been made thus far. Wednesday was a great day. Petitions had been circulated all over the city asking business men of all classes to close during the several services. Not less than 3,000 business houses responded, and in the neighborhood of the large retail houses the effect produced by the closing was very marked. The "Will Close" cards were conspicuous by their number and prominent positions in the windows. At a good many places the employees were dismissed for the day at 3 p. m. and a few stores remained closed all day.

A Day of Solemnity.

The response from the Hebrews as a class was regarded by Mr. Mills and his workers with great satisfaction, and they lost no opportunity to thank them and all classes who observed the day. In its least significant aspect it was a noteworthy tribute of respect to Mr. Mills and the members and the principles of the Christian church. It was, during the closing periods, like a Sunday, and there never was such a Sunday in Cincinnati as was this Wednesday. The response to Mr. Mills' request that it be set apart as a day of special devotion was such as to make the date forever memorable in the annals of the Protestant evangelical churches of this city. Many business men in all lines of trade and manufacture, including some liquor stores, saloons and drug stores, were closed from 9:30 a. m. till 12 noon; from 3 p. m. until 5 p. m. and at 7 in the evening. This action was so unanimous in certain localities that the places remaining open were conspicuous on account of their small number. Not only was the hum of trade hushed, but there was a widely felt feeling of solemnity.

Spent in Devotions.

With thousands of people the day was begun with prayer; then there were family gatherings around the household altars, and at 8 o'clock in the morning in many sections of the city neighbors assembled at some house in their midst and united in prayer. At 9 o'clock in the morning in each one of the seventy churches cooperating in this movement in Cincinnati and its suburbs on both sides of the river the people met together to participate in prayer meetings conducted by the pastors, after which they repaired to music hall.

Great Meetings at Music Hall.

When the meeting at Music hall began about 2,500 people were present. A large number of ministers were upon the platform. Before the regular service began Mr. Mills called on the ministers to speak. Johnston Myers was thankful for the spirit of Christian union prevailing. Mr. Robbins for the absence of the spirit of criticism. Dr. Simpson was happy in seeing God have the right of way in the middle of the week. Dr. R. S. Rust had lived in Cincinnati thirty years and never felt so confident as now. Drs. Warren, Simpson, Inge, Lewis, Morris, Weeks, Malley, Nippert, and Rev. Dawson, Patton and Elder Tyler spoke, all expressing gratitude for personal benefit and quickened church life. Mr. Greenwood sang the resurrection hymn, "He Arose," with great expression, a choir of 400 voices joining in the chorus. A sermon was preached by Rev. Miller. The music hall meeting in the afternoon was attended by 6,000 people. The seating capacity of the hall is 4,500. Every seat was occupied and the aisles and passageways were crowded.

The Thousand Men Prayer.

The meeting at night was the crowning event of the revival. Between 6,000 and 7,000 people crowded into the hall and many were unable to gain admittance. Evangelist Mills took for his theme: "Can a man be spiritually dead when physically alive?" He spoke for half an hour and then called upon all to rise who wished to be prayed for. Several hundred arose, and when this ceremony was over cards were passed among the audience. They read as follows: "I desire to become a Christian." Names are left for the name, residence and name of the church which the person prefers to join. Full 500 of these were signed and turned over to the ushers.

At the meetings in the morning, afternoon and at night upwards of 10,000 people arose in the audience requesting to be prayed for and signed the cards. The day's proceedings throughout the city were the most remarkable and productive of the greatest results in the history of all Cincinnati religious work.

A Miller's Awful Death.

THURLOW, Pa., March 3.—Patrick Reilly, the proprietor of a flour mill at this place, met his death in a horrible manner Wednesday. In some unaccountable manner he became caught in the fly belt and was crushed to death before the machinery could be stopped. His body stopped the motion of the engine and in that manner he was discovered. Deceased was about 70 years of age.

In the House.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—The entire session of the house on Wednesday was taken up in consideration of the District of Columbia appropriation bill. An amendment was adopted reducing the \$11,000 or \$12,000 salary which the recorder of deeds of the District of Columbia receives in the way of fees to a fixed salary of \$2,500 per annum. All fees are to be turned into the public

treasury after deductions for necessary clerk hire. The house adjourned with the bill still undisposed of.

Across the Atlantic in a Balloon.

PHILADELPHIA, March 3.—Prof. Samuel A. King, a well-known aeronaut, proposes to attempt a voyage across the Atlantic to Europe next summer, making a start some time in August from this city. He has been promised the necessary funds for that purpose. The balloon will be inflated with hydrogen gas, with a capacity of 400,000 to 500,000 cubic feet.

A SLAVE NINETY YEARS.

Lucy Bidley, an Old Colored Woman Dies at the Age of 117 Years.

New York, March 3.—In the basement of dingy looking house, 705 Greenwich street, lies the body of a very old colored woman. She died there Tuesday morning, and they say she was more than 117 years old. Her name was Lucy Bidley and she was born on the plantation of James Downey, near Oxford, N. C., December 22, 1774. For nearly ninety years, her granddaughter Rebecca says, she was a slave.

Celebrating Pope Leo's Birth.

New York, March 3.—There was an enthusiastic meeting Wednesday night at Cooper Union, when the Catholic Workmen's Benevolent union celebrated the eighty-second birthday of Leo the Thirteenth. There were 3,500 present. The platform was filled with prominent people and ecclesiastics. Mayor Grant and Archbishop Corrigan sat together. Letters of regret were read from Cardinal Gibbons, ex-Pastor General Thomas L. James and ex-Mayor Grace.

Sly in the Penitentiary.

St. Louis, March 3.—Adelbert D. Sly, the self-confessed train robber, started for the penitentiary Wednesday to serve a twenty-year sentence. When he was leaving he asked to be allowed to bid Marion Hedspeith goodbye, and the request was granted. He is the first of the Adams express robbers who did the Glendale robbery on November 30 last to go to the penitentiary. Hedspeith will probably be taken to Clayton for arraignment the latter end of this week.

May Contest the Will.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 3.—Charles Fair, the youngest son of the bonanza millionaire, is in town, and his presence, taken in connection with the trip of Mrs. Herman Oelrichs from New York, has led to reports that Charlie intends to contest his mother's will, by which he was left only \$500,000, the principal of which he cannot handle till he is 35 years of age. In the meantime he was allowed \$500 monthly.

Bankers to Meet in San Francisco.

NEW YORK, March 3.—The executive committee of the American Bankers' association has decided to hold the seventeenth annual convention of the American Bankers' association in San Francisco on Wednesday and Thursday, the 7th and 8th of September, 1892.

Oklahoma for Harrison.

OKLAHOMA CITY, O. T., March 3.—The republican territorial convention met Wednesday and elected Gov. Seay and D. W. Marquart delegates to the republican national convention. They were instructed to vote for the re-election of President Harrison.

Reward Offered by the Porte.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 3.—The porte has offered a large money reward for evidence that will lead to the discovery of the assassin who stabbed and killed Dr. Vulcovitch, Bulgarian agent in Turkey, who met his death on the night of February 24, while on his way to his club in this city.

Died of Hydrophobia.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., March 3.—Bob Drinkard was on Wednesday found dead in a cabin, a victim of hydrophobia. During one of his fits he bit himself in many places and bled to death from the wounds. He was bitten by a mad dog about two weeks ago and neglected the wound.

Shot His Own Son.

CONSTANTINE, Mich., March 3.—During a quarrel at White Pigeon Fred Leaders shot and seriously injured his son, Fred Leaders. Young Leaders, who is about 23 years old, was carried to a doctor's office, and the ball has not yet been found. Leaders, Sr., has not been arrested.

A Flocky Woman.

COLUMBUS, O., March 3.—The residence of State Insurance Commissioner W. H. Kinder burned Wednesday. Mrs. Kinder dropped two small children from an upper window in the arms of flames and was herself rescued by a ladder. The loss is \$10,000; fully insured.

Because the Girl Jilted Him.

GRANVILLE, Wis., March 3.—Charles Leitigable, a 17-year-old boy working for a farmer named Thomas Fry, in the town of Granville, committed suicide by shooting himself through the heart because a girl had jilted him.

Orange Trees Ordered Destroyed.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 3.—Courts here have ordered 33,000 orange trees which were imported from Tahiti last June, which were infected by scale insects, to be destroyed on the ground they were a menace to orchards in the state.

Aphyxiated.

WEEHAWKEN, N. J., March 3.—John McGrath, 33 years old, and Edward Kent, 31 years old, were aphyxiated by gas Tuesday night at the home of McGrath in this city. On turning out the gas one of the men accidentally turned it on again.



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